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Fair week for field work: New York averaged 3.0 days suitable for field work.

Cold temperatures set in ranging from 3 to 10 degrees below normal. Weekly precipitation ranged from .49 to 2.32 inches. Abnormally dry conditions for the upper northeastern counties remained constant while wet, saturated ground continued to give many operations throughout the remainder of the state setbacks to planting winter wheat and cover crops as well as harvesting corn and soybeans. Mold on soybeans had some worried. Prevented planting claims on winter wheat increased over the previous week. Long Island vineyards began to wrap up harvest as growers focused on red varieties primarily.

Soil Moisture for Week Ending October 28, 2018

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	5	47	48
SUBSOIL	0	3	60	37

Crop Conditions as of October 28, 2018

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
PASTURE AND RANGE	4	18	28	31	19
SOYBEANS	3	4	24	35	34

Crop Progress as of October 28, 2018

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
FALL TILLAGE: PERCENT COMPLETE	66	59	74	76
CABBAGE: HARVESTED	99	94	100	N/A
CORN: DENTED	93	91	88	N/A
CORN: MATURE	85	76	70	83
CORN: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	35	23	12	30
CORN FOR SILAGE: HARVESTED	87	79	84	92
HAY, ALFALFA: THIRD CUTTING	95	87	100	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: FOURTH CUTTING	63	56	81	77
HAY, OTHER: THIRD CUTTING	95	91	99	N/A
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	63	60	63	71
ONIONS DRY: HARVESTED	95	88	100	99
POTATOES: HARVESTED	82	81	78	84
SOYBEANS: DROPPING LEAVES	95	94	94	N/A
SOYBEANS: HARVESTED	53	39	60	60
WINTER WHEAT: PLANTED	75	65	93	92
WINTER WHEAT: EMERGED	45	30	60	62
APPLES: HARVESTED	87	81	91	89
GRAPES: HARVESTED	83	74	72	81

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October 28, 2018 New York Weekly Weather Summary

Notice please be advised, the Weekly Crop Progress and Condition Report's Weather Data Tables may be discontinued for budget reasons. This includes the possibility of discontinuing the weather data narratives and graphics Please contact your local NASS Regional Field Office with comments or compliments regarding this issue. The Weekly Crop Progress and Condition Report's Crop Progress and Condition data will remain and be available.

		Last Week Weather Summary						Accumulation Since April 1, 2018					
		Temperature				Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50F		Base 40F
Region	Station	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN	Total
Northern	FORT DRUM/WHEEL	52	26	37	-9	1.13	4	22.65	-3.23	105	2775	+333	4531
	GOUVERNEUR 3 NW	52	25	36	-7	0.96	2	19.72	-4.47	84	2270	+328	3935
	HIGHMARKET	51	22	33	-7	1.61	4	30.02	-5.37	97	1831	+211	3431
	LOWVILLE	50	26	36	-7	1.65	3	22.37	-2.68	86	2259	+333	3863
	MASSENA INTL AP	53	18	38	-6	0.70	2	22.37	-0.78	94	2618	+528	4366
	OGDENSBURG 4 NE	57	25	38	-7	0.85	3	11.62	-11.48	48	2694	+434	4398
	WATERTOWN AP	53	25	38	-8	0.80	3	25.12	+3.46	101	2542	+417	4275
Northeast	INDIAN LAKE 2SW	44	24	32	-8	0.76	2	21.60	-4.18	92	1727	+262	3249
	MALONE	47	22	34	-8	0.72	2	24.88	-1.43	85	2279	+336	3956
	NEWCOMB	40	23	32	-8	0.78	4	23.34	-3.23	78	1818	+296	3381
	PLATTSBURGH INT	48	27	38	-7	1.01	3	25.04	+3.70	102	2500	+370	4260
	TUPPER LAKE SUN	42	20	34	-7	0.49	3	23.82	-4.24	84	1808	+180	3309
Western	AVON	54	33	40	-8	1.20	3	21.99	+0.65	80	2636	+178	4318
	BUFFALO NIAGARA	51	35	41	-7	0.73	3	25.45	+1.74	100	3150	+621	4927
	CANANDAIGUA 3 S	57	32	41	-7	1.18	3	23.85	+1.18	91	3025	+412	4809
	COLDEN 1W	50	31	38	-8	1.00	4	28.98	-0.25	110	2552	+377	4240
	DANSVILLE MUNIC	54	33	42	-6	1.31	4	26.29	+4.76	118	3131	+486	4936
	GENEVA RESEARCH	52	31	39	-8	1.74	6	25.14	+2.55	107	2734	+276	4486
	ROCHESTER GREAT	51	33	41	-7	0.90	3	21.79	+0.21	99	3206	+698	5009
	WARSAW 6 SW	49	28	36	-8	1.30	3	35.01	+6.19	101	2216	+307	3792
	YOUNGSTOWN 2 NE	55	33	43	-6	0.65	6	22.56	-0.06	99	2960	+398	4734
Central	AUBURN	51	32	39	-8	1.85	7	28.95	+2.11	96	2794	+338	4552
	BOONVILLE 4 SSW	50	24	35	-6	1.07	3	34.27	+0.84	96	2040	+341	3684
	COOPERSTOWN	42	32	37	-8	2.32	5	35.44	+7.53	74	1802	-228	3350
	EMMONS	57	28	36	-8	1.15	4	34.46	+8.45	97	1960	+34	3456
	FULTON OSWEGO C	52	30	40	-7	2.32	5	24.41	-0.22	115	2858	+642	4629
	ITHACA 13 E	55	32	39	-5	1.34	4	29.07	+2.78	84	2446	+522	4186
	SHERBURNE	56	30	38	-6	1.97	4	35.74	+10.09	99	2560	+474	4304
	SYRACUSE HANCOCK	55	30	39	-8	2.25	5	27.71	+3.84	106	2967	+394	4758
Eastern	ALBANY INTL AIR	59	27	42	-5	0.95	3	31.39	+6.61	106	3270	+658	5094
	ALCOVE DAM	56	27	39	-6	1.31	3	32.70	+6.12	84	2442	+240	4148
	BUSKIRK	60	25	40	-6	0.89	3	25.83	-5.93	90	2711	+399	4490
	COBLESKILL 2 ES	52	26	35	-10	1.45	3	31.05	+5.88	94	2596	+487	4292
	GLENS FALLS AP	52	22	38	-6	1.01	3	27.66	+3.18	95	2584	+487	4337
	GLOVERSVILLE 7N	48	26	35	-10	0.94	2	32.67	+3.23	102	2038	-158	3674
	SARATOGA NATL P	58	26	40	-8	1.30	4	25.53	-1.41	97	3204	+377	5020
Southwest	ALFRED	57	28	38	-7	1.55	3	31.51	+6.69	108	2268	+150	3969
	CORNING	51	27	37	-6	1.37	3	36.64	+11.91	103	2309	+555	4022
	FRANKLINVILLE	50	28	37	-7	1.60	3	24.37	-3.48	84	2044	+163	3454
	HORNELL ALMOND	50	27	36	-9	1.53	4	32.11	+6.85	104	2406	+256	4124
	JAMESTOWN 4 ENE	55	32	40	-5	1.51	3	34.96	+6.33	105	2826	+682	4594
	OLEAN	53	26	37	-9	1.07	3	30.62	+2.60	110	2680	+328	4388
	PERRYSBURG	51	33	39	-8	1.44	3	31.89	+2.18	76	2524	-134	4110
Southern	BINGHAMTON (GRE	54	31	38	-7	1.61	3	41.08	+15.97	118	2573	+366	4331
	ELMIRA	56	29	39	-6	1.42	4	42.68	+18.55	103	2860	+513	4616
	ITHACA CORNELL	54	30	39	-7	1.37	4	25.66	+0.95	95	2426	+185	4039
	MECKLENBURG 4SW	53	31	38	-7	1.69	4	34.76	+9.79	99	2370	+396	4097
	WAVERLY	57	33	43	-4	1.18	3	33.29	+9.66	107	2779	+258	4406
	WHITNEY POINT D	56	34	41	-4	1.39	3	33.78	+9.79	96	2681	+561	4456
Southeast	CARMEL 4N	57	29	40	-7	0.89	3	36.46	+5.55	109	2668	+184	4462
	CENTERPORT	63	36	45	-7	2.25	2	33.82	+4.49	77	3300	+224	5116
	EAST JEWETT	56	29	37	-6	1.67	4	42.57	+11.80	87	2004	+366	3664
	MONTGOMERY ORAN	61	29	44	-3	1.12	3	33.49	+5.04	115	3180	+546	5038
	NEW YORK-LGA AR	67	42	50	-5	1.06	2	35.69	+8.17	106	4196	+516	6218
	POUGHKEEPSIE	59	31	42	-7	1.41	3	35.43	+1.36	85	3074	+174	4893
	SHRUB OAK	63	29	43	-7	1.05	2	37.27	+5.75	81	3088	+236	4923
	WALTON 2	59	28	38	-6	1.16	4	42.09	+13.91	102	2258	+422	3968
	WESTHAMPTON GAB	64	27	46	-3	1.06	3	29.69	+1.69	94	2972	+506	4840

Summary based on NOAA Regional Climate Centers (RCCs) data. DFN = departure from normal.

Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches. Air temperature in degrees Fahrenheit. Climate normals used are for the 1981-2010 period.

REPORTERS COMMENTS, By County

Reporters are from Extension Service (Ext), Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), Farm Service Agency (FSA), Conservation District (CD), farmers, commodity specialists, or other knowledgeable individuals.

Broome County; Maria Heath:

Ground saturated.

Cayuga County; Colleen Cargile, Cayuga County FSA:

The cold, wet fall weather continues. Most people that did not get their fall grains planted have given up at this time, as they feel it is getting to late to plant and the fields are still too wet. In addition, there are still quite a few acres of corn and soybeans in the field to be harvested. Producers are hoping for some drier weather so that they can get their crops in before the snow flies. However, it does not appear that the dry weather will be coming any time soon since more rain is predicted for this weekend.

Cortland/ Tompkins Counties; Jennifer Doty:

A couple nice days to push field work before more incessant rain. Some fall tillage was started. Corn and soybean harvest continues as weather permits.

Delaware County; Mariane Kiraly, Cornell Cooperative Extension:

Extreme wet conditions kept farmers off fields for the most part.

Genesee/ Niagara/ Orleans Counties; Nathan R Herendeen:

Continuing grain corn and soybean harvest. Last of corn silage and hay crop silage. Some late wheat planting and cover crop planting. Weather has been intermittently good or wet.

Livingston County; Dean R Pendergast:

The week started out well for harvest but once again the weather turned with heavy rain over the weekend. Yields have been reported as good for harvested crops.

Ontario County; Joann Rogers, County Executive Director FSA:

Ontario County continues with fall harvest and fall field work between rain showers.

Suffolk County; Alice V Wise:

Harvest is winding down in Long Island vineyards. Growers picked reds such as Cabernet Sauvignon this past week.

Yates County; Amy Parmelee, Farm Service Agency

It continues to be too wet for much work to get done. There is a fair number of acres of prevented planting on wheat. Soybeans are now starting to mold due to cold and wet conditions